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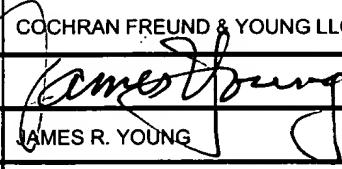
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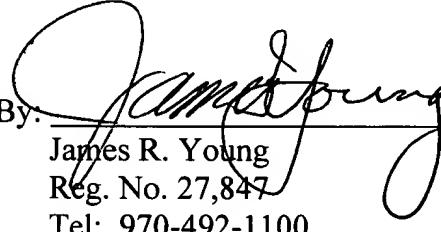
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are five (5) sheets of formal drawings containing figures 1-6 for the above-identified patent application. No new matter has been added to these drawings.

Respectfully Submitted,
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